GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Revenue (Disaster Management) Department – Natural Calamities- Heavy Rains/floods during November-December, 2015 - Damages to infrastructure and assets - Irrigation sector - Temporary restoration/ repairs - Release of Rs.6,18,00,000/- from State Disaster Response Fund (SDRF) - BRO Issued- Sanction - Orders -Issued.

REVENUE (DM.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 11 Dated: 05-02-2018

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Rt.No .90, Revenue (DM.I) Dept., Dated: 6-6-2016
2. From the Engineer-in-Chief (Irrigation), Water Resources Department, Vijayawada Letter No . ENC(I)/DCE-DW/OT.1/ AEE.3/FDR works/2017-18, dt.12-9-2017.
3. From the Engineer-in-Chief (Irrigation), Water Resources Department, Vijayawada Letter No . ENC(I)/DCE-DW/OT.1/ AEE.3/FDR works/2017-18, dt.26-12-2017.
4. G.O.Rt.No .89, Finance (FMU-Rev. INDS-COM) Department, dt.23.01.2018.

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O R D E R:

In the reference 1st read above, Government issued orders sanctioning an amount of Rs.70.00 Crore (Rupees Seventy Crores only) from State Disaster Response Fund (SDRF) to the Engineer-in- Chief (Irrigation), Water Resources Department towards temporary restoration/repairs necessitated to the infrastructure/assets of Irrigation Sector damaged due to Heavy Rains/floods during November - December, 2015 in Chittoor, Nellore, Kadapa and Prakasam Districts.

2. The Engineer-in-Chief (Irrigation), Water Resources Dept., Vijayawada in the reference 2nd read above has informed that the Government in the reference 1st read above, have accorded sanction for an amount of Rs. 70.00 Cores (Rupees seventy crores only) from State Disaster Response Fund (SDRF) towards temporary restoration / repairs necessitated to the infrastructure/assets of Irrigation Sector damaged due to heavy rains/floods during November – December 2015 in Chittoor, Nellore, Kadapa and Prakasam Districts. He further informed that **due to non-receipt of clearance of Finance Department in March-**20**17, necessary funds to a tune of Rs.808.66 Lakhs bills of the flood damage repair works to be released have not drawn as the LOC was lapsed and requested to release funds** to clear the **pending bills. In the reference 3rd read above,** the Engineer-in-Chief (Irrigation) has also informed that the heavy rains took place in November 2015 and though these works were temporary in nature, most of these works had to be executed using soils, gravel and sand as temporary restoration works. Further, most of the Reservoir, tanks and vagus were filled with water and these materials could not be procured immediately till dry conditions prevailed. Due to this reason, the completion of temporary restoration works hampered considerably and most of the works could not be completed before December 2015. Further, in spite of all the efforts made by the field staff, some bills could not be submitted before July 2016 though the recording and check measurements were completed within a stipulated period. The Water User Associations responded immediately after heavy floods during November 2015 in Nellore and were instrumental in restoring entire Pennar Delta System to normalcy by way of spending huge money towards these FDR works entrusted to them and saved a crop in an extent of 3,00,000 acres in entire Pennar Delta and Kanupur Canal System. Finally, the Engineer-in-Chief (Irrigation) requested the Government to release funds to a tune of Rs. 618.00 lakhs (Rupees six crores eighteen lakhs only) in respect of Nellore district, so as to clear the pending bills of FDR works. The reports in respect of other districts are awaited from the concerned Superintending Engineers. Soon after receipt, further report will be submitted.

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3. In the reference 4th read above, the Finance (FMU-Rev, INDS-COM) Department have issued Budget Release Order for an amount of Rs.6,18,00,000/-(Rupees Six Crores Eighteen lakhs only) as additional funds in relaxation of Treasury Control and Quarterly regulation orders, pending provision of funds by way of obtaining supplementary grant during CFY 2017-18 to clear pending bills of FDR Works.

4. After careful examination of the matter, Government hereby accord sanction an amount of Rs.6,18,00,000/-(Rupees Six Crores Eighteen lakhs only) from State Disaster Response Fund (SDRF) to the Engineer-in-Chief (Irrigation), Water Resources Department, Vijayawada to clear pending bills of FDR Works pertaining to temporary restoration / repairs to the infrastructure / assets of Irrigation sector damaged due to heavy rains/floods during November-December, 2015.

5. T he expenditure sanctioned in Para (4) above shall be debited t o t he following Head o f Account :

MJH 2245 - Relief on account of Natural Calamities
SMJH 02 - Floods, cyclones etc.
MJ 122 – Repairs and Restoration of damaged Irrigation & Flood control works
SH (04)– Medium and Major Irrigation works
270 - Minor works
272–Maintenance.

6. The Engineer-in-Chief (Irrigation), Water Resources Department, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada is authorized to draw the amount sanctioned in para (4) above subject to the following conditions:

1. The amount shall be utilized for the purpose, it is sanctioned.
2. The unspent balances, if any, shall be remitted forthwith to the Government Account.
3. Consolidated Utilization Certificates, duly verified by the Andhra Pradesh State Audit Authorities, shall be furnished for the amount already released upto 2015-16 and for the amounts released now.

7. This order is issued with the concurrence of Finance ((FMU. Rev-I&C) Dept., vide their U.O.NO.45027/139/FMU-Rev/2018,dt.24.01.2018.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

DR.MANMOHAN SINGH
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Engineer-in-Chief (Irrigation), Water Resources Department ,
Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.

Copy to:

The Principal Secretary to Government , Water Resources Department , A.P. Secretariat.
P.S to Deputy Chief Minister(Minister for Home & DM)
P.S to Minister for Irrigation Department.
P.S to Chief Secretary, Government of Andhra Pradesh
PS to Special Chief Secretary to CM
The Principal Accountant General, AP Hyderabad.
The Director of Treasuries Accounts, A.P, Hyderabad.
The Prl. Secy. to Govt., Finance Dept.
The District Treasury Officers of Chittoor, Nellore, Kadapa and Prakasam Districts.
The Accounts Officer, Revenue (DM) Department.
P.S. to CDM & EOPS, Revenue (DM)Department.
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